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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

DANIEL ALAS,

Petitioner,

v.

WILLIAM SULLIVAN,

Respondent.

C 07-3811 SI

**APPLICATION FOR
EXTENSION OF TIME TO
FILE RESPONSE**

Pursuant to Civil L.R. 6-3 and Habeas L.R. 2254-6, respondent hereby requests a 60-day extension of time until November 30, 2007, in which to file a response to the petition for writ of habeas corpus. Good cause for the extension is set forth in the accompanying declaration of counsel. I called petitioner's counsel this afternoon and left her a voicemail informing her that I intended to apply for this extension.

WHEREFORE, respondent respectfully requests that this Court grant an extension of time to and including November 30, 2007 in which to file the response.

1 Dated: October 1, 2007

2 Respectfully submitted,

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DECLARATION OF SERVICE BY U.S. MAIL

Case Name: *Alas v. Sullivan*

No.: **C 07-3811 SI**

I declare:

I am employed in the Office of the Attorney General, which is the office of a member of the California State Bar, at which member's direction this service is made. I am 18 years of age or older and not a party to this matter. I am familiar with the business practice at the Office of the Attorney General for collection and processing of correspondence for mailing with the United States Postal Service. In accordance with that practice, correspondence placed in the internal mail collection system at the Office of the Attorney General is deposited with the United States Postal Service that same day in the ordinary course of business.

On October 1, 2007, I served the attached **APPLICATION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE RESPONSE; DECLARATION OF COUNSEL IN SUPPORT OF APPLICATION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME; ORDER** by placing a true copy thereof enclosed in a sealed envelope with postage thereon fully prepaid, in the internal mail collection system at the Office of the Attorney General at 455 Golden Gate Avenue, Suite 11000, San Francisco, CA 94102-7004, addressed as follows:

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I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California the foregoing is true and correct and that this declaration was executed on October 1, 2007, at San Francisco, California.

Susan Chiang

Declarant



Signature